

# Strategic Plan Development

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# **Planning Process**



# Path to Strategic Plan Development

Two-year reflective, self-analytical process

Findings (strengths and opportunities) inform Strategic Plan Goals

> Feedback from internal and external constituents Allow strategic priorities to emerge

> > Affirm Mission or recommend revision Articulate Institutional Values Formulate SP Goals

> > > Feedback & approval

MSCHE Self-Study

Planning Retreat/ Roundtable Discussions

Task Force

College Community/ Leadership



### **Planning Process Goals Achieved**

- Affirm Mission/recommend revision
- 2. Articulate Institutional Values
- 3. Simplify terminology used in planning and assessment
  Eliminate Institutional Goals

  - Limit use of terms such as objectives, priorities, etc.

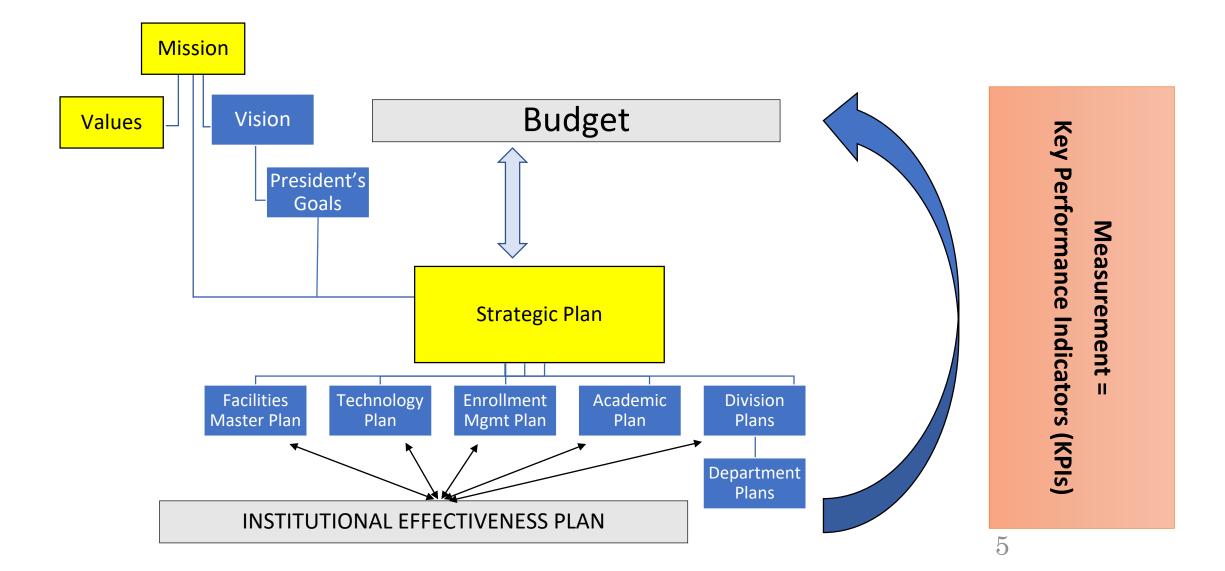


# 4. Formulate Strategic Plan MSCHE Self-Study as foundation

- Internal and external constituent feedback
- Task Force appointed to consolidate information



### Planning Framework





# **Mission Review**



# **Current Mission**

Luzerne County Community College provides excellence in education, fosters student success in achievement of goals, and positively impacts Luzerne County and the surrounding Northeast Pennsylvania region.

- MSCHE Self-Study commended the institutional commitment to our Mission
- Survey and feedback affirmed LCCC's Mission with one notable exception, identifying the institution's unique characteristics



# **Proposed Mission**

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Luzerne County Community College is a student-centered institution prioritizing support and access to an inclusive, equitable learning environment that fosters academic and personal success and strengthens communities in the Northeast Pennsylvania region.

#### Based on emphasis in comments/feedback:

- Focus on Students
- Accessibility
- DEI



# Institutional Values



### **Proposed Institutional Values**

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The College community shares these core values driving decision-making:

- Student-centeredness: Empowering students to succeed
- Access: Ensuring inclusive, equitable learning for all
- **Diversity**: Prioritizing a welcoming climate of inclusivity
- Community of support: Collaboratively working to support all members of the LCCC community
- Personal engagement: Creating a sense of belonging
- Commitment to teaching, serving and learning: Knowledgeable staff and faculty invested in student success

#### Values generated from:

- MSCHE commendations
- Stakeholder observations (employees, students, external constituents)
- Task Force recommendations





# Strategic Plan Goals



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### Strategic Plan Goal 1 – Recruitment, Retention & Completion (RRC)

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1.1 Enrollment opportunities ensuring access and academic attainment

**1.3** Pathways to completion and transfer

1.2 Technology and innovation to improve student engagement and enrollment

1.4 Empower students as partners in learning



### Strategic Plan Goal 2 – Excellence in Education

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2.1 Foundational competencies through a learner centered curriculum

### 2.2 State-of-the-art technology into all curriculums

2.3 Tools to develop student skills, knowledge and dispositions to be lifelong learners

2.4 Academic offerings aligning student need and market demand



#### Strategic Plan Goal 3 – Regional Economic Engine

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**3.1** Collaborative alliances with community stakeholders

Increase educational attainment in the region

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**3.3** Communicate LCCC's value proposition and return to the community



Strategic Plan Goal 4 – Diverse, Equitable and Inclusive Practices

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**4.1** Transformative practices for a diverse, inclusive and equitable campus climate

**4.2** Recruit, retain and develop a diverse College community

**4.3** Inclusive excellence in curriculum, instruction and assessment

**4.4** Engaging, inspirational and educational practices for students and employees



#### Strategic Plan Goal 5 – Organizational Success

**5.1** Technology to facilitate communications and automate workflow

5.4 Culture of assessment

**5.2** Resources to best support recruitment, retention and completion

**5.3** Safe, accessible and esthetically pleasing physical campus environment



### **Next Steps**

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- Board of Trustees review/approval February 22 Work Session
  - Mission affirmation/enhancements
  - Institutional Values
  - Strategic Plan
- Finalize Plan metrics/KPIs following approval
- Communication Plan
  - Develop Plan tagline
  - Website update
  - Communication tool development (i.e. brochure, signs, etc.)
- Division/Department Plan Updates
  - Identify initiatives to support Plan
  - Implement & assess